

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/716,586
Applicant: Gordon K. Dennis
Filed: November 19, 2003
Title: PROTECTIVE COVER FOR LOCKING DEVICES
T.C./A.U.: 3673
Examiner: Lloyd A. Gall
Confirmation No.: 6289
Docket No.: 182531-0004 (formerly HMC-130US)

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Detailed Action dated June 6, 2009, Applicant submits the following response for the above-identified application as follows:

- ☒ A three month extension of time is requested to extend the time for response to the final Office Action to and through **December 9, 2009**. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. **50-2951** in the amount of **\$1,110.00**. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment of fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. **50-2951**.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page _____ of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page _____ of this paper and include enclosed replacement sheet(s).
- ☐ **Amendments to the Abstract** are on page _____ of this paper. A clean version of the Abstract is enclosed.
- ☒ **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.